

HANCOCK

ALL GRADES TO
BE LEGALIZED

Council Decides All Street and
Sidewalk Grades Shall be
Officially Recorded.

CONCRETE RESERVOIR FAVORED

Board of Public Works Authorized to
Secure Bids for New Electric Pump
and for Both Steel and Concrete Res-
ervoirs—Hearing of Objections to
Sidewalk Assessments.

Last night's session of the common council, adjourned from Monday, was a very important one and a large amount of business was disposed of, relating mainly to sidewalk and street matters and to the question of purchasing a pump and erecting a reservoir at the upper system in West Hancock. Plans and specifications presented by City Engineer Craig were received, and a recommendation was received from the board of public works asking that they be authorized to ask for bids on pump and reservoir. On motion of Alderman Scallion the matter of the pump was referred to F. N. Bosson of Calumet, to secure his opinion relative to the merit of the various kinds of pumps and their adaptability to local conditions. Mr. Craig said that parties bidding will be called upon to guarantee the efficiency of their pumps.

Regarding the reservoir Mr. Craig stated that his plans show both steel and concrete would grow stronger with use while the steel would in time naturally rust some and deteriorate. On motion of Alderman Francis the board of public works was authorized to advertise for bids for a million gallon circular concrete reservoir, with center partition and a steel roof.

To Legalize Street Grades.

During the meeting street and sidewalk matters came in for much discussion. A resolution was made by Dr. Scallion and adopted by an "aye" and nay vote accepting a plan and specifications made by the city engineer for the sidewalks on the south side of Hancock street from the east side of Montezuma street to the Mineral Range railroad, showing curbs and gutters, and adopting those as the official grades. The clerk was instructed to secure a book in which this and other street grades should be recorded.

The reason for this action was explained by City Attorney Kiskila, who stated that it had been claimed by those securing the injunction against the laying of the walk on Hancock street according to the grade of 1905 that such grade was illegal as it was required that the city should have a record book of street and sidewalk grades in which they should be recorded. Also that the first grade adopted did not specifically state that they

were sidewalk grades. In this case it was pointed out that none of the grades have been recorded. A book will accordingly be obtained and in it will be recorded all the grades ever adopted by the city, both for walks already built and those yet to be constructed, in order that no further question of their legality may be raised.

Objections Are Heard.
Frank C. Condon, representing the Condon properties in West Hancock, appeared before the council to remonstrate against being compelled to build sidewalks in front of a number of their lots and properties on the south side of West Quincy street, stating that a walk on the north side would be ample to take care of all the traffic in that vicinity for a long time to come. The building of the south walk would only put them to needless and unwarranted expense.

Joseph Ruppe objected to the proposed grade at his property on Hancock street, which he said would elevate the walk about fifteen inches above the roadway. He was assured that the grade of the street would be made so that his property would not suffer and he stated that he would build the walk in the spring.

A number of changes were made in the sidewalks recently ordered laid in various parts of the city, including several sections of Franklin street and also the properties mentioned by Mr. Condon.

Cow Police Makes Report.

Poundmaster Hurla presented his report of animals impounded and the amounts turned into the treasury, in accordance with a recent order of the council. His report was accepted and he was relieved from further duty this season. His report was as follows: Animals impounded: June, 7 cows; July, 2 horses; August, 29 cows; September, 28 cows; October, 11 cows. Receipts: June, \$29; July, \$14; August, \$23; September, \$28; October, \$11.

Alderman Francis said that he did not see that it was necessary to have three men working eight hour shifts at the upper water works pump, while the city had recently cut down the force at the big pumping plant. Engineer Craig said that to work only a double shift would make the hours too long for each man. No action was taken.

On motion of Alderman Hosking the rearrangement of some lots in West Hancock owned by Lakso & Co. was permitted, being required by the extending of Fifth street. A sewer was also asked for and likewise the extension of the water mains to serve the properties on which a number of dwellings are to be erected. The engineer will arrange with Lakso & Co. so that they will meet the assessments for the proposed general sewer district to be established there next spring on an equal footing with other property owners.

A communication was received protesting against the condition of some streets in the upper part of the fourth ward, stating that Elevation street in one place was in such condition as a result of the piling of dirt in the road from the work on the Hancock Mining Co.'s railroad spur that the children "had to wear rubber boots to go to school." It was anonymous, bearing only the subscription, "A Fourth Ward Taxpayer." Dr. Scallion, glancing it over, remarked that he didn't believe any man in his ward ever wrote it.

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Bond Sale Reconsidered.
The recent action of the council in voting to accept the bid of Sontag & Co. of Chicago for the \$10,000 worth of water extension bonds was reconsidered last night and that of Moss & Co. at \$125 premium, was accepted instead.

Comment was made upon the fact that there are some houses in the newer portions of West Hancock that are not numbered and there are no signs indicating the street names. No action.

A resolution presented by Dr. Scallion was adopted designating Monday evening, Dec. 6, as the time for hearing objections to the special assessment rolls for the first and second installments of special sidewalk assessments, which the board of special assessors was instructed to prepare.

Harness Bid Awarded.

Two bids were received for harness for the chemical engine. That of Ben E. Wieder was for \$125, and that of Louis Wilmot \$140. The former was accepted conditional upon Mr. Wieder guaranteeing to make the harness to meet the approval of the captain of the city teamsters.

The Hancock street paving contractors were granted an extension of time for thirty days, work having been suspended during the last few days on account of the snow.

Bids for 300 feet of water pipe from the L. E. Swift company and the Portage Lake Hardware company were submitted and a recommendation received from the board that they be authorized to award a contract. The proposal of the Portage Lake Hardware company was the lowest and the board was instructed to award the contract accordingly.

The fire and water committee was authorized to purchase an additional large wagon box to be used in carting the snow off the streets.

SOLDIERS BEAT K. OF C.
AND ELKS DEFEAT EAGLES

Two exceptionally close games were played last night in the indoor baseball series. The exhibition given in such case was good and the crowd present applauded frequently and enthusiastically. The Knights of Columbus were defeated by the Houghton militia by the score of 8 to 7, and the Elks beat the Eagles by the score of 9 to 8. The latter game was a tie in the eighth inning standing 8 and 8, but the Elks finally made one more run than the Eagles. The detailed score of the Militia-K. C. game is as follows:

K. of C. 111400000-7 12
Light Infantry 130040000-8 12
Batteries—Meyer and Funky;
Barnes and Crozes.

Struck out by Barnes 18; by Meyer 13.

Bases on balls off Meyer 2; off Barnes 0.

Two-base hits—C. Anderson, Barnes.

Funky 2.

Umpires—Rentenbach and Shields.

The summary of the game between the Eagles and the Elks is as follows:

Elks 0022014-9 9

Eagles 0000143-8 9

Batteries—Funky and Montgomery; Richards and Dritter.

Struck out by Funky 7; by Richards 11.

Bases on balls off Richards 1; off Funky 3.

Two-base hits: Richards, Larson, La Farce, Montgomery, Condon.

Triple play: Haas to Funky to Finley.

Umpires: Rentenbach and Shields.

As a result of the games last evening the standing of the teams of the league this morning is as follows:

W. L. Pct.

Hibernians 3 0 1.000

Elks 3 0 1.000

H. L. F. 1 1 .500

C. O. F. 1 1 .500

K. C. 2 3 .333

Eagles 3 3 .500

Reserves 3 3 .500

BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS.

Arrangements Made for Annual Ball to Be Held Friday Night.

Arrangements are completed for the big annual ball of the Masons and Bricklayers unions to be held on Friday evening next in Germania hall.

The Klinghammer orchestra has been engaged and the affair gives promise of being very pleasant and well attended, there having been a slight lull in dancing parties recently. The committees in charge of the dance are as follows:—

Reception—Robert Clare, James Klas, James McGlynn and Frank E. Wern.

Arrangements—Alex Rosenberg, Adolph Schnafer, Robert Clare, James Klas, Ed. Clare, James McGlynn.

Door carcasses arriving here this morning belonged to Fred Funky and Charles Matthews. Mr. Funky's trophies were two large buck, that of Mr. Matthews a small doe.

The Hancock Naval Reserves have decided to purchase a piano and gymnasium equipment for their armory in order to provide some sort of a club where the members may spend their spare time in games and social pleasures when not engaged in their naval duties.

INDOOR TENNIS CLUB.

Hancock Young People Arranging for Games at Germania Hall.
An indoor tennis club is the latest association to be formed in Hancock for the enjoyment of opportunities for engaging in athletic pastimes. The club comprises a membership of about fifteen or twenty and arrangements have been made for playing games at Germania hall, which has been secured for the purpose for afternoon matches. A tennis court has been marked out upon the floor, in such a manner as not to conflict with the diamond of the indoor baseball league, which also plays its games there. The members of the club will hold a meeting soon to make plans for the season, but it is not expected that any officers will be chosen, beyond the appointment of someone to act as secretary and treasurer and see to the collecting of dues, etc.

STUDY CLUB MEETS.

The first open meeting of the Ladies' Study club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry L. Baer, and the following was the afternoon's program:

Piano solo—Fantasia, Impromptu in C sharp minor, Chopin; Mrs. Swift.
Vocal solo—(a) Lapp Maiden's Song, De Koven; (b) Where Ripples Flow, De Koven; Mrs. Hancock.

Paper—The Women of Shakespeare, Mrs. Minnie Merton.

Vocal solo—Spring, Leo Stern; Miss Haire.

Piano solo—(a) Im Herbst, Franz-Rogers; (b) Gavotte, Sapellinkoff; Mrs. Nichols.

Vocal solo—(a) Peasant Song, Dell'Acqua; (b) Were My Song With Wings Provided, Hahn; Mrs. Kohlhaas.

By request Mrs. Merton gave a recitation entitled "My Legacy" by Helen Hunt, followed by a short selection, "The Daftodils."

PICTURES DELIGHT CROWDS.

Remarkable Realism of Marvelous Moving Pictures of Lyman H. Hows.

A second big audience witnessed the exhibition of Lyman H. Hows' moving pictures at the Korredge theatre last evening and enjoyed the remarkable realism of some of the scenes shown. The pictures of the greatest interest were those illustrating the arrival of Dr. Cook at Copenhagen, the starting of a polar expedition and the firing of big guns on a battleship.

The guns were shown as maneuvered and elevated in target shooting, the flash as the gun was discharged, the terrific roar, the rolling of the smoke, and the splash of the shell as it reached the target were all faithfully represented, winding up with a discharge of the ponderous guns pointing directly into the faces of the audience. The numerous humorous films were clever and amusing, and everything connected with the entertainment was high class. The pictures will be exhibited here again later in the season.

ARRANGING FOR SESSION.

Entertainment Committee of Elks Meets to Plan Venison Spread.

A meeting was held last night by the entertainment committee of the Hancock lodge of Elks for the purpose of discussing arrangements for the big social session and venison dinner to be enjoyed next Wednesday evening.

TO BUILD COTTAGES.

Charles Lakso & Co. have purchased a number of lots in West Hancock street from Edward Waara. These lots are located in the Anthony second addition, and are those included in the plat submitted at the council meeting last evening for permission to make certain changes in the lot lines, as a result of the proposed extending of Fifth street. This request was granted and the lots will be subdivided and replatted, and Lakso & Co. will build upon them a number of attractive cottages.

HANCOCK BREVITIES.

At the regular meeting of the Hancock lodge of Elks held last night nominations were made for officers for the ensuing year and a social session and luncheon was enjoyed by the members.

The Korredge theatre has been engaged by the local committee in charge of arrangements for the temperance address to be given by Dr. Samuel Dickie of Albion college on Sunday, November 28.

A plain drunk was gathered in this morning and given an hour and a half in which to call on his friends in endeavor to secure the amount of his fine and costs.

Charles Lewis has returned from a business trip to Greenland.

A bridge club has been formed among a number of Hancock ladies and they met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Boler, in West Hancock.

George H. Nichols left yesterday for Marquette, to see John Hick, who is ill with appendicitis. Mr. Hick is reported greatly improved and will return home the latter part of the week.

Condressman H. O. Young of this district arrived in Hancock yesterday afternoon from Ishpeming and registered at the Scott where he was seen by a number of local Republicans.

H. G. Dalton of Cleveland, general manager for Pickands, Mather and Co. and W. B. Castle, superintendent of the Zenith Furnace company of Duluth, arrived here yesterday in a special car on the South Shore railroad. The purpose of the visit is to inspect the plant of the Portage Coal and Dock company at Ripley, through which they will be escorted by Arthur F. Jacques in the absence of Manager John Hick.

W. Frank James has sold to Emil Piquette lot 18, block 12, of the Elbow addition, on which Mr. Piquette will erect a house next spring.

Mrs. J. G. Johnson has returned from Jefferson, Iowa, where she was called by the death of her mother, Mrs. Garrett Fox.

LITTLE HEARTS.

Little hearts and little hands.

Taking hold of heaven above;

Rich they are in all the lands—

They are millionaires of Love.

—Atlanta Constitution.

Uncle Ezra Says:

"What good be riches of you don't spend 'em, an' then what good be they of you?"

WASHBURN-CROSBY'S
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR
FOR DEC JAN APR JULY
FEB MAR MAY AUG
SEPT OCT
AND
NOVEMBER

TORCH LAKE NEWS

NUMEROUS RESIDENCES BUILT
IN LAKE REGION THIS YEAR

Contractor Myers Completes Fine Home for James Burgan and Will Have Pearce Cottage Ready by End of the Month—Other Contractors Also Have Busy Season.

The past summer has been an exceptionally busy one for the local contractors, especially so for carpenters, and at times it was almost an impossibility for parties who wished to have improvements made around their properties to have the contemplated work carried out, so scarce was the labor in that particular line. Contractor Ernest Myers of Lake Linden started out in the contracting business last spring for himself, and he has enjoyed a busy season ever since operations began early in the summer. He erected a fine new residence for Mrs. Glanville on Calumet street, and since then has completed another residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Burgan. The home contains six rooms besides bath and pantry, and is a very neat structure. Mr. and Mrs. Burgan moved into their new home this week.

The four-room house for Ransom Pearce is well under way, the building being up and siding started this week. The structure is a cottage and is erected on the Pearce farm close to the village. It will be fitted up with a bath and will be modern in every respect. The lathing will be completed in a few days and the place will be in readiness for occupancy by the first of December. The Middlemire residence is also being worked upon at the present time, and that is expected to be ready for occupancy by March.

The building is a very large one and contains eight large rooms, besides bath, reception hall, etc. This structure is located on the corner of Mine and Calumet streets and occupies a prominent corner in the village.

Contractor O. Perrault of Hubbell is still busy and has been all summer. He had numerous contracts on hand and one of the largest was the addition to St. Cecilia's Catholic church of that village. Mr. Perrault has his sons working with him, and he stated yesterday that he still has considerable work yet to do to wind up his contracts. He is now employed on the Lenz home. This will require several more days to complete.

Will Build New Store.

Frankie Ostens, formerly in the saloon business in Hubbell, but who retired several months ago, proposes erecting a small store building on the vacant lot adjoining his home. The building will not be a large one. The dimensions will be about 16x26 feet and one story high. Mr. Ostens expects to carry a line of candy, tobacco, etc.

Prospects are encouraging for a busy summer next year. Considerable property has changed hands here the past few months and a great many new purchasers expect to erect residences of their own. Several local lot holders have been disposed of to parties from Laurium, and they expect to build next summer.

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